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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

BRENDA HICKMAN and BETTY HENRY, )  
Plaintiffs, )

TRUST DEED INVESTMENT, INC., a )  
California corporation; PHILIP B. )  
GOLDSTEIN; THE HASKELL )  
PROPERTIES; JEROME M. BOSCOE; )  
NIKOS GLIMIDAKIS; PENSICO TRUST )  
COMPANY, CUSTODIAN FBO JERRY )  
ANGEL IRA; PENSICO TRUST; )  
COMPANY, CUSTODIAN FBO BARBARA )  
SULLIVAN IRA; STERLING TRUST )  
COMPANY, CUSTODIAN FBO GLEN )  
SHAPIRO, ACCOUNT #095011; BARRY )  
BERKOWITZ; DAVID N. RICHMAN M.D. )  
401-K PROFIT SHARING PLAN; JOHN )  
DELLAR AND JOBYNA DELLAR )  
REVOCABLE TRUST; ROSLYN COHN; )  
PATTI ENGLANDER; THE GILL 1995 )  
TRUST; STERLING TRUST COMPANY )  
CUSTODIAN FBO VICKI W. SHAPIRO, )  
ACCOUNT # 095114; )

Defendants. )

No. CV 08-3686 SC

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DEED INVESTMENTS, INC. and  
PHILIP B. GOLDSTEIN**

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12 /s/ Mark J. Romeo

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16 I consent to the Association.

17 Dated: September 4, 2008 HAAS & NAJARIAN

18 /s/ Louis N. Haas

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22 We consent to and authorize the Association.

23 Dated: September 4, 2008 TRUST DEED INVESTMENTS, INC.

24 /s/ Philip Goldstein

25 \_\_\_\_\_  
26 PHILIP GOLDSTEIN, President

27 Dated: September 4, 2008 /s/ Philip Goldstein  
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PHILIP GOLDSTEIN

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